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New Melones Lake
6850 Studhorse Flat Road
Sonora, CA 95370

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David M. Smith
Water Resorts, Inc.
340 S. Fairmont Ave.
Lodi, CA 95240

Subject: New Melones Lake Marina Interim Concessions Contract

Dear Mr. Smith,

This letter is to confirm that the New Melones Lake Marina Interim Concession Contract is now in place for the period January 1, 2013 until December 31, 2014. This Interim Concession Contract is being implemented to bridge the gap between expiration of the existing long-term concession contract, which expired on December 31, 2012 and a new long-term concession contract to be awarded within the next two years. Current marina services and operations will continue to be available, including wet slips for houseboats and pleasure boats; rental of houseboats, pleasure boats, kayaks and paddle boards; boat fueling and wastewater pump-out stations, and a marina convenience store.

Planning and development of a new long term commercial marina concession at New Melones Lake has begun. The new long-term concession contract will be advertised and awarded through a competitive bidding process in accordance with the Reclamation Manual, Directives and Standards LND 04-01. The public will be kept informed of the status of the marina and concession planning process through news releases, flyers posted at or near the marina, and via the New Melones Lake website, at <http://www.usbr.gov/mp/cao/newmelones/index.html>, which will be updated as new information becomes available.

To speak with a Reclamation representative regarding the New Melones Lake Marina Interim Concession Contract or future long-term concession contract opportunities, please contact me, Chief Park Ranger Billy Brown or Natural Resource Specialist Sandra Suchodolski at 209-536-9094.

Sincerely,

Alex Michalek
Resource Manager

cc: See next page.